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In re Patent Application of	)	Attorney Docket No.: <b>SUGI0157</b>
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Nobukazu IKEDA et al.	)	Confirmation No.: 1287
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Serial No.: 10/553,235	)	Group Art Unit: 2855
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Filed: October 14, 2005	)	Examiner: PATEL, HARSHAD R
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For: CORROSION RESISTANT METAL	)	Date: November 30, 2007
MADE THERMAL TYPE MASS	)	
FLOW RATE SENSOR AND A	)	
FLUID SUPPLY DEVICE USING	)	
THE SAME	)	

**AMENDMENT (D) AFTER FINAL**

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Sir:

In response to the FINAL Official Action dated September 4, 2007, Applicants respectfully request that the present amendment, with remarks, be entered and considered pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.113, because the present amendment and remarks address all of the outstanding issues in this case and should place the application in condition for allowance. Therefore, kindly amend the application identified above as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected by the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.